--- 20 Cigarettes - “Series of 1915” - 22 x 28 mm. - scanned at 200% scale ---

★**RC-242** - 20 cigarettes, perf 12

★**RC-242 SP** - 20 cigarettes, perf 12,
stamped ***Sample*** in script

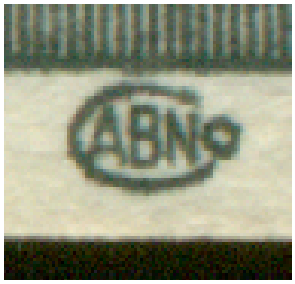
Prior to the appearance of the Series “A” *tall format* stamps the *perforated* twenty cigarette *white tab* “Series of 1915” - saw *provisional* use in April 1927.

★**RC-258** - 20 cigarettes, perf 12,
with 7 mm. top and bottom margins
coded **6-10-D / CIGARETTES / 4 1927** in April 1927

★**RC-245** - 20 cigarettes, imperf,
coded **6-17 / CIGARETTES / 10 1921** in October 1921

--- 20 Cigarettes - “Series of 1915” - “Imperial Tobacco” - 22 x 28 mm. - scanned at 150% scale ---

--- RC-245 - imperforate - upright 6-17 cancellations - with the ABN monogram at 300% scale - 4 copies to date--



★**RC-245** - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **6-17 / CIGARETTES / 11 1919** in November 1919

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1919	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	11	---
1920	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1921	---	2	---	---	---	---	7	---	---	---	11	---

--- C-316 - imperforate - inverted 6-17 cancellations - 2 copies to date ---

★**RC-245** - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **6-17 / CIGARETTES / 11 1920** in November 1920

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1919	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1920	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	11	---
1921	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

--- ★RC-242 - perf 12 - upright 6-17 cancellations - 3 copies to date ---

★RC-242 - 20 cigarettes, perf 12, coded **6-17 / CIGARETTES / 1 1921** in January 1921

[★RC-242]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1920	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	---	---
1921	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	9	---	---	---

--- ★RC-242 - perf 12 - inverted 6-17 cancellations - 4 copies to date ---

★RC-242 - 20 cigarettes, perf 12, coded **6-17 / CIGARETTES / 10 1920** in October 1920

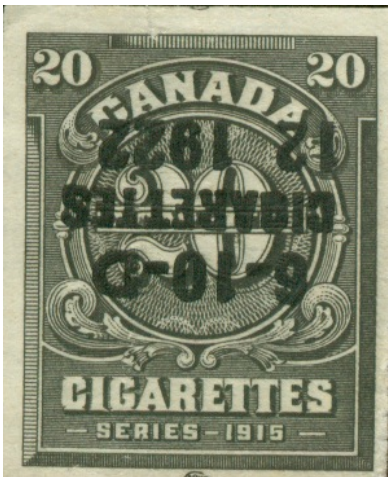
[★RC-242]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1919	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	12
1920	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	---	---
1921	---	---	---	---	---	---	7	---	9	10	---	---

--- ★RC-245 - imperforate - upright 6-10-D cancellations - 33 copies to date ---

★RC-245 - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **6-10-D / CIGARETTES / 11 1921** in November 1921

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1921	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	11	---
1922	---	---	---	---	---	---	7	---	---	10	---	12
1923	---	---	---	---	---	6	---	---	---	10	11	---
1924	---	2	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	10	---	12
1925	---	---	3	---	5	---	---	---	9	---	11	---
1926	---	---	3	---	5	---	---	8	---	---	11	---
1927	---	---	---	---	5	6	7	8	9	10	---	12
1928	1	2	3	---	5	6	7	8	---	---	11	---

--- ★RC-245 - imperforate - inverted 6-10-D cancellations - 8 copies to date ---



★RC-245 - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **6-10-D / CIGARETTES / 12 1922** in December 1922

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1922	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	12
1923	---	---	---	---	---	---	7	---	---	---	11	---
1924	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8	---	---	---	12
1925	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	12
1926	---	---	---	---	---	6	7	---	---	---	---	---
1927	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1928	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

--- ★RC-242 - perf 12 - upright 6-10-D cancellations - 16 copies to date ---

★RC-242 - 20 cigarettes, perf 12, coded **6-10-D / CIGARETTES / 3 1922** in March 1922

[★RC-242]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1922	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1923	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1924	1	---	---	---	5	6	---	8	---	---	---	12
1925	---	---	---	4	---	6	7	8	9	10	---	---
1926	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	---	12
1927	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1928	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	---	---

--- ★RC-242 - perf 12 - inverted 6-10-D cancellations - 14 copies to date ---

★RC-242 - 20 cigarettes, perf 12, coded **6-10-D / CIGARETTES / 1 1922** in January 1922

[★RC-242]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1922	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1923	---	---	---	---	---	---	7	8	---	---	11	---
1924	---	---	---	---	5	6	---	8	9	---	---	---
1925	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	8	---	10	11	---
1926	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8	---	---	---	---
1927	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1928	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

--- C-316 - imperforate - 6-10-D cancellation reads vertically up - 3 copies to date ---

These stamps were obtained under the Budget of 1928

★RC-245 - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **6-10-D / CIGARETTES / 12 1928** in December 1928

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1928	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	12
1929	1	---	---	---	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

--- ★RC-245 - imperforate - 6-10-D cancellation reads vertically up - 16 copies to date ---

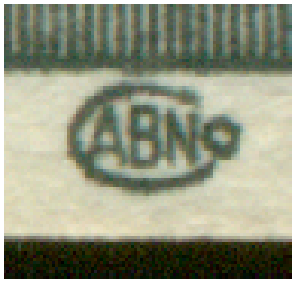
These stamps were obtained under the Budget of 1929

★RC-245 - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **6-10-D / 1029** in October 1929

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1929	---	---	---	---	---	629	729	829	---	1029	1129	---
1930	---	---	---	---	530	---	730	830	930	1030	1130	---
1931	---	---	---	431	---	631	731	831	931	1031	---	---

--- 20 Cigarettes - Series of 1915 - “Tuckett Tobacco” - 22 x 28 mm. - scanned at 200% scale ---

--- ★RC-242 - perf 12 - cancellation reads vertically up - with the ABN monogram at 300% scale - 5 copies to date ---



★RC-242 - 20 cigarettes, perf 12, coded **1-18-E / CIGARETTES / D-24** in April 1924

[★RC-242]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1924	---	---	C-24	D-24	---	F-24	G-24	H-24	---	---	---	---
1925	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

--- ★RC-242 - perf 12 - cancellation reads vertically down - 4 copies to date ---

★RC-242 - 20 cigarettes, perf 12, coded **1-18-E / CIGARETTES / K-24** in November 1924

[★RC-242]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1924	---	---	---	---	---	F-24	---	H-24	---	---	K-24	---
1925	A-25	B-25	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

--- ★RC-245 - imperf - cancellation reads vertically up ---

★RC-245 - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **1-18-E / CIGARETTES / H-24** in August 1924

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1924	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	**H-24**	**I-24**	---	---	**L-24**
1925	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

--- ★RC-245 - imperf - cancellation reads vertically down - 1 copy to date ---

★RC-245 - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **1-18-E / CIGARETTES / K-24** in November 1924

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1924	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	**K-24**	---
1925	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

In March 1925 the cancellations change to use the thin Roman format as follows at the end of the section. In January 1930 the cancellations resume use the use of the heavy Gothic as shown below.

--- imperf - mimeographed cancellation reads vertically up - 14 copies to date ---

★**RC-245** - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded 1-18-E / CIGARETTES / H-25 in August 1925

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1925	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	H-25	---	---	K-25	---
1926	---	B-26	C-26	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1927	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1928	---	---	---	---	---	---	G-28	H-28	I-28	---	---	L-28
1929	A-29	---	---	---	E-29	F-29	G-29	H-29	---	---	K-29	---

--- imperf - mimeographed cancellation reads vertically down - 27 copies to date ---

★**RC-245** - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded 1-18-E / CIGARETTES / C-25 in March 1925

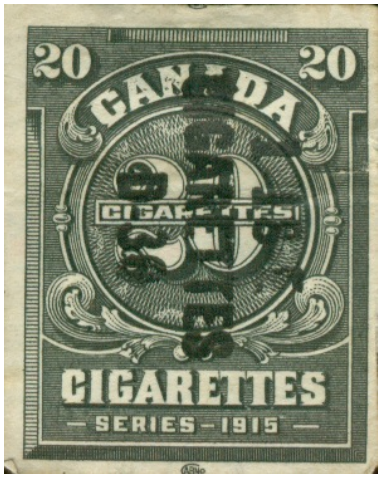
[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1925	---	---	C-25	D-25	E-25	F-25	---	---	---	---	---	---
1926	---	B-26	---	---	E-26	---	---	H-26	---	J-26	---	---
1927	A-27	B-27	---	---	E-27	F-27	G-27	H-27	---	J-27	K-27	L-27
1928	---	---	---	D-28	E-28	F-28	---	---	I-28	J-28	K-28	---
1929	---	B-29	C-29	D-29	---	---	---	---	---	J-29	---	---

--- imperf - cancellation reads vertically up - 17 copies to date ---

★**RC-245** - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **1-18-E / CIGARETTES / H-30** in August 1930

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1930	**A-30**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**E-30**	**F-30**	**---**	**H-30**	**---**	**---**	**K-30**	**L-30**
1931	**A-31**	**---**	**---**	**D-31**	**E-31**	**F-31**	**G-31**	**H-31**	**I-31**	**---**	**K-31**	**---**
1932	**---**	**B-32**	**C-32**	**D-32**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**

--- imperf - cancellation reads vertically down - 10 copies to date ---



★**RC-245** - 20 cigarettes, imperf, coded **1-18-E / CIGARETTES / D-30** in April 1930

[★RC-245]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1930	**---**	**---**	**---**	**D-30**	**---**	**F-30**	**G-30**	**---**	**I-30**	**---**	**---**	**---**
1931	**A-31**	**B-31**	**C-31**	**D-31**	**E-31**	**---**	**G-31**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**
1932	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**	**---**

Although Tuckett Tobacco was using the 20 cigarette “Series of 1915” stamp until April 1932, they had also begun using the imperforate Series “A” stamp, **RC-301**, in December 1931. Their parent plant, Imperial Tobacco, had introduced **RC-301** in November 1931.

--- 20 Cigarettes - “Series of 1915” - Macdonald Tobacco - 1932-35 ---

Macdonald Tobacco used the perforated twenty cigarette **RC-242**, and the imperforate **RC-245**, but began code dating their production in 1932, at which time they were using the twenty cigarette Series “A” imperforate **RC-301** thus there is no way that a listing of their “Series of 1915” usage can be compiled. The illustrated pre-1932 examples are roller cancelled **1-10-D**.

★**RC-242/245** - 20 cigarettes, roller cancelled **1-10-D**

The collection contains a single code dated example of **RC-242**, used by “Macdonald Tobacco”, Montreal in August 1935. This usage appears to have been a *vault-clearance* of the “Series of 1915” as the new Series “C” stamp was being introduced.

★**RC-242** - 20 cigarettes, perforated 12, mimeographed **1-10-D / 8-35** in August 1935

[★RC-242]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1935	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8-35	---	---	---	---

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